

## CLAIMS

1. Unfastening prevention device attached to  
screwed up fastening means comprising:

5 a cap (6) covering at least torque-receiving portion  
from axially one side of the fastening means and being  
provided with a groove (6a) on its inner surface and a  
widened part (6c) on its inner surface close to its opening  
end of which inner diameter gradually increases as it goes  
10 to the opening end;

a spring means (8) biased outwardly so as to engage  
its outer periphery into the groove (6a) formed on the inner  
surface of the cap (6), being able to slide along the inner  
surface of the cap (6) except for the groove (6a) area and  
15 being able to decrease its diameter due to compression  
from outside by the widened part (6c) and

a restriction means for the spring means axially  
restricting the spring means to move.

2. Unfastening prevention device as claimed in  
20 claim 1, said cap (6) is or is not provided with plural holes  
(6b) penetrating from outer surface to the groove (6a)  
formed on the inner surface.

3. Unfastening prevention device as claimed in  
claim 1 or claim 2 comprising, first elastic body (9) biasing  
25 whole inner surface of the spring means (8) radial

outwardly located inside of the spring means (8) restricted by the restriction means.

4. Unfastening prevention device as claimed in anyone of above claims comprising, second elastic body  
5 disposed between the fastening means and cap means, and compressed when the cap means is set.